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Nolan Catholic Senior Wins Betty Lynn Buckley Award

(FORT WORTH) May 28, 2008 – Nolan Catholic Senior Dinh Nguyen recently won a Betty Lynn Buckley award for Best Male Ensemble Actor for his role as Bun Foo in the school’s spring production of “Thoroughly Modern Millie.”

The Betty Lynn Buckley Awards celebrates excellence in musical theatre production among participating Tarrant County high schools. A distinguished panel of judges recognizes these schools for their achievements in 16 different award categories, including: Best Actor, Best Actress, Best Musical, Best Supporting Actor, Best Supporting Actress, Excellence in Direction, Best Costume Design, Best Lighting Design, Best Scenic Design, Best Student Orchestra, Best Ensemble Actor, Best Ensemble Actress and Excellence in Choreography.

As an award winner, Nguyen receives a \$500 college scholarship, which is provided by generous donors who recognize the benefits of this fantastic program and the impact musical theatre has on the lives of these students. Nguyen plans to attend University of Dallas and study Business.

“We are thrilled that Dinh’s wonderful portrayal of Bun Foo was recognized as an award winner,” said Gabriel Duarte, NCHS theater teacher and director of “Thoroughly Modern Millie.” “We also thank the Betty Lynn Buckley awards for their support of musical theatre.”

Other NCHS nominees for Buckley awards were: Molly Senkowsky – Best Female Ensemble for role as Ruth; Chris Fitzer – Scene Design; and Andrea Meza and Chris Fitzer – Costume Design.

Nolan Catholic High School is a private, co-educational Catholic college preparatory institution of the Diocese of Fort Worth administered in the Marianist tradition. Nolan Catholic was founded in 1961.

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